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Title: Solid Supported Catalyst Usable for the Polymerization of Conjugated Dienes, Process for the Preparation Thereof and a Process for the Polymerization of Conjugated Dienes Using this Catalyst

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to:

a second month to April 14, 2004 ☐ \$155.00 ☒ \$310.00

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☒ An extension fee in the amount of \$ 310.00 is enclosed.

☐ The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated _____.

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The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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